



# Math 136 Review Note

## Lecture 1

Addition of Vectors:  $\vec{u} + \vec{v} = \begin{bmatrix} u_1 + v_1 \\ \vdots \\ u_n + v_n \end{bmatrix}$

Scalar Multiplication: Let  $c \in \mathbb{R}$ ,  $c\vec{u} = \begin{bmatrix} c \cdot u_1 \\ \vdots \\ c \cdot u_n \end{bmatrix}$

Note: Same line  
different mag. direct

### Properties of Vector Addition:

1. Commutative:  $\vec{u} + \vec{w} = \vec{w} + \vec{u}$

3. Additive Identity:  $\vec{u} + \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ \vdots \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}$  (zero vector) =  $\vec{u}$

- a. Associative:  $(\vec{u} + \vec{w}) + \vec{v} = \vec{u} + (\vec{w} + \vec{v})$

4. Additive Inverse:  $-\vec{u} = \begin{bmatrix} -u_1 \\ \vdots \\ -u_n \end{bmatrix}$

### Properties of Scalar Multiplication

1. Distributive:  $c(\vec{u} + \vec{w}) = c\vec{u} + c\vec{w}$ ,  $\vec{u}(c+d) = c\vec{u} + d\vec{u}$

3.  $\vec{u} \cdot 0 = 0$

2. Associative:  $(cd)\vec{v} = c(d\vec{v})$

4.  $c\vec{u} = 0$  ( $c=0$  or  $\vec{u} = 0$ )

$\vec{v}_i$ :  $i^{\text{th}}$  component is 1, others are 0

Standard Basis: the set of  $\vec{e}_i \in \mathcal{E} = \{\vec{e}_1, \vec{e}_2, \dots, \vec{e}_n\}$  Ex)  $\mathbb{R}^3 \rightarrow \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}, \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 1 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}, \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$

## Lecture 2

$\mathbb{C}^n$  set of complex vectors, denotes as  $\left\{ \begin{bmatrix} z_1 \\ z_2 \\ \vdots \\ z_n \end{bmatrix} \mid z_i \in \mathbb{C} \right\}$  Note: no dot product, but inner

Dot product  $\vec{u} \cdot \vec{v} = u_1 \cdot v_1 + u_2 \cdot v_2 + \dots + u_n \cdot v_n$  Note: result is scalar, Not in  $\mathbb{C}^n$

### Properties of Dot Product

1.  $\vec{u} \cdot \vec{v} = \vec{v} \cdot \vec{u}$  (symmetry)

3.  $(c\vec{u}) \cdot \vec{v} = c(\vec{u} \cdot \vec{v})$

2.  $(\vec{u} + \vec{v}) \cdot \vec{w} = \vec{u} \cdot \vec{w} + \vec{v} \cdot \vec{w}$  linearly

4. non-negativity  $\vec{v} \cdot \vec{v} \geq 0$ ,  $\vec{v} \cdot \vec{v} = 0 \iff \vec{v} = 0$

length/norm/magnitude  $\sqrt{\vec{v} \cdot \vec{v}} = ||\vec{v}||$

Note: always non-negative, length = 0  $\iff \vec{v} = 0$

Unit Vector  $||\vec{v}|| = 1$ ,  $\vec{v} \in \mathbb{R}^n$

Normalization  $\vec{v} \in \mathbb{R}^n$ ,  $\vec{v} \neq 0$ ,  $\hat{v} = \frac{\vec{v}}{||\vec{v}||}$  vector length

## Find Angles between Vectors

$\vec{u}, \vec{v} \in \mathbb{R}^n$ , both non-negative, then angle  $\theta = \arccos \left( \frac{\vec{u} \cdot \vec{v}}{\|\vec{u}\| \|\vec{v}\|} \right)$

and  $\vec{u} \cdot \vec{v} = \|\vec{u}\| \|\vec{v}\| \cos \theta$

Note: between  $\theta \in [0, \pi]$

Orthogonal/perpendicular  $\vec{u} \cdot \vec{v} = 0$  Note:  $\vec{v}$  is orthogonal to every vector  $\in \mathbb{R}^n$

Projection ( $\vec{v}$  onto  $\vec{w}$ )  $\text{Proj}_{\vec{w}} \vec{v} = \left( \frac{\vec{w} \cdot \vec{v}}{\|\vec{w}\|^2} \right) \vec{w}$  (dot product / length<sup>2</sup>) vector

Perpendicular ( $\vec{v}$  onto  $\vec{w}$ )  $\text{Perp}_{\vec{w}} \vec{v} = \vec{v} - \text{Proj}_{\vec{w}} \vec{v}$

Fields/FF Ex)  $\mathbb{C}, \mathbb{R}$  can apply math operations

Cross Product  $\vec{u} \times \vec{v} = \begin{bmatrix} u_2 v_3 - u_3 v_2 \\ u_3 v_1 - u_1 v_3 \\ u_1 v_2 - u_2 v_1 \end{bmatrix}$  Note: only applies in  $\mathbb{R}^3$

Properties of Cross Product 1.  $\vec{z} \cdot \vec{u} = 0 \quad \|\vec{z} \cdot \vec{v} = 0 \quad (\vec{z} = \vec{u} \times \vec{v})$  2.  $\vec{v} \times \vec{u} = -\vec{u} \times \vec{v}$

3. if  $\vec{u}, \vec{v} \neq \vec{0}$ , then  $\|\vec{u} \times \vec{v}\| = \|\vec{u}\| \|\vec{v}\| \sin \theta$

Note: it is the Area of parallelogram  $\rightarrow$  where  $\theta$  is the angle between  $\vec{u}, \vec{v}$ .

## Linearity of Cross Product

$$1. (\vec{u} + \vec{v}) \times \vec{w} = (\vec{u} \times \vec{w}) + (\vec{v} \times \vec{w}) \quad 2. (c\vec{u}) \times \vec{w} = c(\vec{u} \times \vec{w})$$

$$3. \vec{u} \times (\vec{v} + \vec{w}) = (\vec{u} \times \vec{v}) + (\vec{u} \times \vec{w}) \quad 4. \vec{u} \times c\vec{w} = c(\vec{u} \times \vec{w})$$

Note: When calculating length  $\|\vec{v}\| = \sqrt{\vec{v} \cdot \vec{v}}$ , the number that can be squared must write  $|h|$  (absolute value)

## Proposition 1.b.7

Let  $c \in \mathbb{R}$  and  $\vec{v} \in \mathbb{R}^n$ , then  $\|c\vec{v}\| = |c| \|\vec{v}\|$

## Proposition 1.b.9

Let  $\vec{v}, \vec{w} \in \mathbb{R}^n$ , the projection and perpendicular of  $\vec{v}$  onto  $\vec{w}$  is orthogonal

$$\text{Proj}_{\vec{w}} \vec{v} \cdot \text{Perp}_{\vec{w}} \vec{v} = 0$$

## Lecture 4.

linear Combination

Scalar  
↓  
vector

$$C_1 \vec{v}_1 + C_2 \vec{v}_2 \dots C_n \vec{v}_n$$

$$\text{CF}^n \quad \vec{v} \in \text{CF}^n$$

Span/ Spanning set  $\text{Span}\{\vec{v}_1, \vec{v}_2 \dots \vec{v}_n\} = \{C_1 \vec{v}_1 + C_2 \vec{v}_2 \dots C_n \vec{v}_n, C_1, C_2 \dots C_n \in \text{CF}^n\}$

spanning set

Set of linear combination

$$\text{Note: } \text{Span}\{\vec{v}_1, \vec{v}_2 \dots \vec{v}_n\} \neq C_1 \vec{v}_1 + C_2 \vec{v}_2 \dots C_n \vec{v}_n$$

Span of one vector a line

Span of two vector a plane

Parametric Equation of a line

Let  $p, q$  be fixed number  $\in \text{CF}$ ,  $q \neq 0$ , then the equation through the point  $(x_1, y_1)$  with slope  $P/q$  is

$$x = x_1 + qt \quad y = y_1 + pt$$

Note: Each value of  $t$  gives a point on the line

$$q=0, x=x_1, y=y_1 + pt \Rightarrow \text{Vertical line}$$

Vector Equation of a line in  $\text{R}^2$

← Non-zero, direction

$$\vec{l} = \begin{bmatrix} x \\ y \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} x_1 \\ y_1 \end{bmatrix} + t \begin{bmatrix} q \\ p \end{bmatrix}, t \in \text{CF}$$

↙ line that goes through this vector  
terminal point of  $\begin{bmatrix} x \\ y \end{bmatrix}$   
terminal point on the line

line in  $\text{R}^2$

$$C = \{\vec{u} + t\vec{v}; t \in \text{CF}\} \quad \vec{v} \neq 0,$$

a line through  $\vec{u}$  with direction  $\vec{v}$

## lecture 5

line in  $\mathbb{R}^n$   $\vec{l} = \vec{u} + t\vec{v}, t \in \mathbb{R}$  (vector equation)

Note:  $\vec{l}_1$  has same direction of  $\vec{l}_2 \Leftrightarrow C\vec{J}_1 = \vec{J}_2$

$L = \{\vec{u} + t\vec{v}, t \in \mathbb{R}\}$  lines in  $\mathbb{R}^n$  through  $\vec{u}$  with direction  $\vec{v}$

parametric Equations  $\vec{l} = \vec{u} + t\vec{v}, t \in \mathbb{R}$  (vector equation)

$$l_1 = u_1 + t v_1, l_2 = u_2 + t v_2 \dots l_n = u_n + t v_n, t \in \mathbb{R}$$

### Vector Equation of a Plane in $\mathbb{R}^n$

(through the Origin)  $\vec{p} = s\vec{v} + t\vec{w}, s, t \in \mathbb{R}$  ( $v \neq c\vec{w}$ ) ( $v, w$  are non-zero)

Note: if  $\vec{v} = c\vec{w}$ , then  $\vec{p}$  is only one vector

Terminal points of  $\vec{v}, \vec{w}$  are in the plane

This is the span of 2 vectors

### plane in $\mathbb{R}^n$ Through the Origin

$P = \text{Span}(\vec{v}, \vec{w}) = \{s\vec{v} + t\vec{w}, s, t \in \mathbb{R}\}$  through origin with direction  $\vec{v}, \vec{w}$

### Vector Equation of Plane

$\vec{u} \in \mathbb{R}^n, \vec{v}, \vec{w}$  are non-zero,  $\vec{v} \neq c\vec{w}$   $\vec{p} = \vec{u} + s\vec{v} + t\vec{w}$

$P = \{ \vec{u} + s\vec{v} + t\vec{w} : s, t \in \mathbb{R} \}$  plane through  $\vec{u}$  with direction  $\vec{v}, \vec{w}$

Note: Always remember that they are vectors!

To calculate  $\vec{v}, \vec{w}$ , use 2 points!

### Normal Form, Scalar Equation of Plane in $\mathbb{R}^3$

$\vec{n} \in P$ ,

normal vector:  $\begin{bmatrix} a \\ b \\ c \end{bmatrix} \neq \vec{0}$

Normal form:  $\vec{n} \cdot (\vec{p} - \vec{u}) = 0$

$\vec{p} = \begin{bmatrix} x \\ y \\ z \end{bmatrix} \in P, \neq \vec{u}$

Scalar equation:  $ax + by + cz = d$  ( $d = \vec{n} \cdot \vec{u}$ )

Note: only for  $\mathbb{R}^3$   $\begin{bmatrix} a \\ b \\ c \end{bmatrix} = \vec{n}$  = norm

## Lecture 6

### Linear Equation, Coefficient, Constant Term

$$a_1x_1 + a_2x_2 + \dots + a_nx_n = b, \quad a_1, \dots, a_n \in F \text{ (Coefficient)}$$

$\uparrow$   
constant

### System of Linear Equation

a collection of m linear equation in n variables

$$a_{11}x_1 + \dots + a_{1n}x_n = b_1$$

$$a_{21}x_1 + \dots + a_{2n}x_n = b_2$$

Note:  $a_{ij}$  is the coefficient.

### Solution Set

$\vec{y} = \begin{bmatrix} y_1 \\ y_2 \\ \vdots \\ y_n \end{bmatrix}$  when  $x_1=y_1, \dots, x_n=y_n$ , the systems of equations are satisfied

$\{\vec{y}\}$  set of solution

### Equivalent Systems

 2 linear systems with same solution set.

### Elementary Operations

1. Equation Swap  $e_i \leftrightarrow e_j$
2. Equation Scale  $e_i \rightarrow me_i, m \in F \setminus \{0\}$
3. Equation addition  $e_j \rightarrow Ce_i + e_j$

### Elementary Operations Theorem

If a single elementary operation of any type is performed on a system of equation, then the system will be equivalent

### Inconsistent Systems no solution

### Consistent System Unique / Infinite solutions

## lecture 7

matrix  $m(\text{row}) \times n(\text{col})$  rectangular array of scalars

$$A = \left[ \begin{array}{ccc|c} a & b & c & d \\ a_1 & a_2 & a_3 & a_4 \\ a_{11} & a_{12} & a_{13} & a_{14} \\ \vdots & \vdots & \vdots & \vdots \\ a_m & b_m & c_m & d_m \end{array} \right]$$

Augmented  
Coefficient

Note: can apply ERO

$B = A$  if apply single ERD  
(row equivalent)

Zero/Leading Entry

row with all zeros  $\rightarrow$  zero row

$$\left[ \begin{array}{cccc} a & b & c & d \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \end{array} \right] \leftarrow \text{zero row}$$

$$\left[ \begin{array}{ccc|c} 1 & 2 & 3 & 4 \\ 0 & 0 & 4 & \leftarrow \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & \end{array} \right]$$

(leftmost non-zero #)  
leading one  
leading entry (4)  
 $\nwarrow$  zero row

REF (row echelon form)

1. All zero rows occur as the final rows in matrix
2. the leading entry in any non-zero row appears in a col to the right of the col with leading entries above it

Pivot leading entry  
position of  $\uparrow$  = pivot positions

pivot column  $\rightarrow$  column with pivot

pivot row  $\rightarrow$  row with pivot

RREF (reduced REF)

1. In REF
2. all pivots are 1
3. only non-zero entry in  $P_C$  is pivot

Unique RREF

All matrix has a unique RREF

Basic Variables

Column with pivot.  $x_i$  is basic

Free Variables

Column without pivot

## Lecture 8

$M_{m \times n}(\mathbb{R}/\mathbb{C}/\mathbb{F})$

↑ real matrix (all real entries)      ]  
↑ complex matrix (complex entries)       $M_{m \times n}(\mathbb{F})$

Rank  $M_{m \times n}(\mathbb{F})$  in RREF,  $\text{rank}(A) = r$  (# of pivots)

Rank Bounds  $\text{rank}(A) \leq \min\{m, n\}$

Consistent System Test (CST)

$\text{rank}(A) = \text{rank}([A|b]) \Leftrightarrow$  consistent system

## Lecture 9

System Rank Theorem

- a) if  $[A|b]$  is cons.  $\Rightarrow [A|b]$  contains  $n-r$  parameter  
rank / # of pivots.
- b)  $[A|b]$  is cons.  $\Leftrightarrow r = m$  (# of rows)

Nullity # of parameter nullity(A)  $(n-r)$

row vector matrix with one row Row<sub>i</sub>(A)

Matrix-Vector Multiplication in Individual Entries

$$A\vec{x} \begin{bmatrix} a_1 & \dots & a_n \\ b_1 & \dots & b_n \\ c_1 & \dots & c_n \\ \vdots & & \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} x_1 \\ x_2 \\ x_3 \\ \vdots \\ x_n \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} a_1x_1 + a_2x_2 + \dots + a_nx_n \\ b_1x_1 + b_2x_2 + \dots + b_nx_n \\ c_1x_1 + c_2x_2 + \dots + c_nx_n \\ \vdots \\ \vdots \end{bmatrix} \quad \text{like Dot product}$$

Linearity of Matrix-Vector Mult.

$$1. A(\vec{x} + \vec{y}) = A\vec{x} + A\vec{y} \quad 2. A(c\vec{x}) = cA\vec{x}$$

### Proposition 3.10.2

$\forall \vec{e}_i \in \mathbb{F}^m$ ,  $A\vec{x} = \vec{e}_i$  is cons  $\Rightarrow \text{rank}(A) = m = \# \text{ of rows}$

### Lecture 10

Homogeneous all the constant on the right are zero  $[A|\vec{0}]$  always consistent

Non-homogeneous not all  $\vec{0}$   $[A|\vec{b}]$  might be inconsistent

Nullspace solution set of a homogeneous system  $(\text{Null}(A))$

Note: it's just  $\text{Span}\{\dots\}$

### Proposition 3.11.1

Let  $A\vec{x} = \vec{0}$  be a homogeneous system of linear equations with solution set  $S$ .

if  $\vec{x}, \vec{y} \in S$ , and if  $c \in \mathbb{F}$ , then  $\vec{x} + \vec{y} \in S$  and  $c\vec{x} \in S$ .

Note:  $S$  is closed under addition and scalar mult.

if  $\vec{x}, \vec{y} \in S$ , and  $c, d \in \mathbb{F}$ , then  $c\vec{x} + d\vec{y} \in S$  ( $\text{Span}\{\vec{x}, \vec{y}\} \subseteq S$ )

$$\text{Ex)} \quad \left[ \begin{array}{cccc|ccc} 1 & 0 & 1 & 2 & 1 & 0 & 2 \\ 0 & 1 & 2 & -1 & 2 & 0 & 3 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 \end{array} \right] \quad \begin{cases} \textcircled{1} \text{ No Solution} \\ \textcircled{2} \text{ Infinite Solution, } \text{Null}(A) = \text{Span}\left\{\begin{bmatrix} -1 \\ 2 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}, \begin{bmatrix} -2 \\ 0 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}\right\} \end{cases}$$

Associated homogeneous system  $A\vec{x} = \vec{b} \Rightarrow A\vec{x} = \vec{0}$

particular solution  $\vec{x}_p$

Solution to  $A\vec{x} = \vec{0}$ ,  $A\vec{x} = \vec{b}$   $\tilde{S} = \{\vec{x}_p + \vec{x} : \vec{x} \in S\}$

Solution to  $A\vec{x} = \vec{b}$  and  $A\vec{x} = \vec{c}$   $\tilde{S}_C = \{\vec{x}_p + \vec{x} : \vec{x} \in S_b\}$

### Lecture 11

Column Space  $\text{Col}(A) = \text{Span}\{\vec{a}_1, \vec{a}_2, \dots, \vec{a}_n\} = \{\vec{A}\vec{x} : \vec{x} \in \mathbb{F}^n\}$

Span of the columns of A Ex)  $\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 \\ 3 & 4 \end{bmatrix} \quad \text{Col}(A) = \text{Span}\{\begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 3 \end{bmatrix}, \begin{bmatrix} 2 \\ 4 \end{bmatrix}\}$

## Consistent System and Column Space

Let  $A \in \mathbb{M}_{m \times n}(\mathbb{F})$  and  $\vec{b} \in \mathbb{F}^m$ . The system of linear equations  $A\vec{x} = \vec{b}$  is cons. if and only if  $\vec{b} \in \text{Col}(A)$   $A\vec{x} = \vec{b}$  is cons.  $\Leftrightarrow \vec{b} \in \text{Col}(A)$

Transpose  $A^T$  ( $A^T_{ij} = A_{ji}$ ,  $j=\text{row}, i=\text{column}$ )

$$\text{Ex: } A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 3 & 5 \\ 2 & 4 & 6 \end{bmatrix} \quad A^T = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 \\ 3 & 4 \\ 5 & 6 \end{bmatrix}$$

Rowspace  $\text{Row}(A) = \text{Span}\{\text{Row}_1(A)^\top, \text{Row}_2(A)^\top, \dots, \text{Row}_m(A)^\top\}$   
Span of the transposed rows of A

## Proposition 4.1.7

Let  $A, B \in \mathbb{M}_{m \times n}(\mathbb{F})$ , if B is row equivalent to A, then

$$\text{Row}(B) = \text{Row}(A)$$

Column Extraction  $A(\vec{e}_i) = \vec{a}_i \quad \forall i \in \{1, \dots, n\}$

Equality of Matrices Let  $A, B \in \mathbb{M}_{m \times n}(\mathbb{F})$ , then  $A = B \Leftrightarrow A\vec{x} = B\vec{x} \quad \forall \vec{x} \in \mathbb{F}^n$

## Matrix Multiplication

$$C = AB = A(\vec{b}_1, \vec{b}_2, \dots, \vec{b}_p) = [A\vec{b}_1 \dots A\vec{b}_p]$$

# of columns A = # of rows of B  $\rightarrow$  undefined

Each column of AB is an element of Col(A)

$$\text{Ex: } \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 \\ 2 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 & 3 \\ -1 & 3 & 2 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \cdot 1 + 2(-1) & 1(2) + 2(3) & 1(3) + 2(2) \\ 2(1) + 0(-1) & 0(2) + 2(3) & 2(3) + 2(0) \end{bmatrix}$$

## Lecture 12 (Midterm)

Matrix sum  $A + B = C$   $C_{ij} = a_{ij} + b_{ij}$  must be the same size

$$\text{Ex: } \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 3 \\ -2 & 1 \end{bmatrix} + \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 5 \\ 6 & 2 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 1-1 & 3+5 \\ -2+6 & 1+2 \end{bmatrix} \quad AB \neq BA$$